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Responsive to the Restriction Requirement dated November 2, 2005 for the above identified patent application, Applicant elects the species of Formula A. Applicant further elects the compound gallic acid (e.g., 3,4,5-trihydroxybenzoic acid) for search purposes. Claims 1-11 read on the elected species. This election is made without traverse.

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